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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Mohan V. Kalkunte et al.

Application No.: 09/271,011

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For: **PRESERVING FRAME ORDERING
ACROSS AGGREGATED LINKS
SUPPORTING A PLURALITY OF
TRANSMISSION RATES**

Examiner: Frank Duong

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO THE OFFICE ACTION

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Sir:

In response to the outstanding Office Action, mailed July 30, 2002, Applicants submit the following claims and arguments:

IN THE CLAIMS

A clean version of the entire set of pending claims is presented on the following page.